(vi) reivews by the Minister-in-charge, in Prime Minister's Office and the Cabinet Secretariat.

GDP growth rate

908. SHRI NAGENDRA NATH OJHA:
SHRI V. V. RAGHAVAN:
SHRI RAM JETHMALANI:
SHRI KAPIL SIBAL:

Will the Minister of STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the latest quick estimate of GDP growth in real terms during 2000-2001 to 4 per cent assessed by CSO Compare a full, two per cent below the original estimate made in January, 2001 and 1.2 per cent below the revised estimate released recently in June, 2001; and

(b) if so, the details of the GDP as well as the sectoral growth rate?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRIMATI MANEKA GANDHI): (a) yes Sir.

(b) The estimate of Gross Domestic Product (GDP) is compiled at different points of time by the Central Statistical Organisation (CSO) on the basis of available data from various sources. The estimates are revised from Advance (released in February), to Revised (released in June), and Quick (released in January next year) as updated data keeps on flowing from the source agencies.

The details of the Advance, Reivsed and Quick Estimate of GDP alongwith the sectoral growth rates for the year 2000-01, released respectively in February 2001, June 2001, and January 2002, are given in the Statement enclosed.

Statement

Estimates of GDP and sectoral growth rate at constant (1993-94) prices released in the Advance, Revised and Quick Estimates of National Income,

2000-01

		Advance Estimate Released in Feb 2001		Revised Estimate Released in June 2001		Quick Estimate Released in Jan 2002	
		GDP (Rs.crore)	Growth (%)*	GDP (Rs.crore)	Growth Rate (%)*	GDP (Rs.crore)	Growth (%)**
1.	agriculture, forestry & fishing	293050	0.9	290895	0.2	289194	0.2
2.	mining & quarrying	27642	4.5	27432	3.7	27796	3.3
3	manufacturing	209387	6.4	207750	5.6	205220	6.7
4.	electricity, gas & water supply	29799	5.6	29557	4.7	30406	6.2
5.	construction	63847	8.7	61942	5.5	62801	6.8
6.	trade, hotels, transport and communication	273167	8.0	270208	6.9	266817	5.3
7.	financing, insurance, real estate & bsiness services	160674	9.6	159919	9.1	150051	2.9
8.	community, social & personal services	163609	7.6	164043	7.8	161637	6.0
	GDP at factor cost	**1221174**	**6.0**	**1211747**	**5.2**	**1193922**	**4.0**

* growth rate over the Quick Esitmates for the year 1999-2000, released in January 2001

**growth rate over the Esitmates for the year 1999-2000, released in January 2002

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO STARRED AND UNSTARRED QUESTIONS SET FOR THE 4TH MARCH, 2002*

Increase in leprosy cases

*41. SHRI H.K. JAVARE GOWDA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the number of leprosy cases is increasing alarmingly in the country;

*The sitting of the Rajya Sabha on Monday, the 4th March, 2002 was adjourned as a mark of respect to the memory of Shri G.M.C. Balayogi, speaker, Lok Sabha. Answers to Question put down in the lists for that day were laid on the Table of the House on Thursday, the 7th March, 2002.